## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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## NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

DOCKET NO. 2013-266-C

Docket Summary: Application of Conterra Ultra Broadband, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Local Exchange Telecommunications Services in South Carolina

Conterra Ultra Broadband, LLC ("Conterra"" or "Applicant") has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide local exchange services in the State of South Carolina. The Application was filed pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-9-280 and Section 253 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. According to the Application, Conterra will provide two product and service packages: cellular backhaul transport and access networks and broadband networks for K-12, healthcare and government entities. Further, the Application states that each network is customized to a specific customer's needs and requirements and is not available to the general public through retail sales by the Applicant. The Applicant supplies customer specified transport bandwidth from site A to Z; the contents of that transport, voice or data, are at the discretion of the customer.

A copy of the Company's application can be found on the Commission's website at <a href="www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a> under Docket No. 2013-266-C. Additionally, a copy of the application is available from the Company's representative Angela C. Lee, Esquire, 2101 Rexford Rd., Ste. 200E, Charlotte, NC, 28211.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin on Monday, October 07, 2013, at 10:00 a.m., before a Hearing Examiner in the Commission's Hearing Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

PLEASE BE ADVISED that pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-280, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **Monday**, **August 05**, **2013**, and indicate the amount of time required to address the Commission. For the receipt of future Commission correspondence, please include an email address in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2013-266-C*.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify, in writing, the Commission; the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201; and the Company's representative at the above address, on or before **Monday**, **August 05**, **2013**, and indicate the amount of time required to address the Commission. *Please refer to Docket No. 2013-266-C*.

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Commission, in writing, at the address below on or before **Monday**, **August 05**, **2013**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2013-266-C*.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding MUST present such comments in person to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100 or visit its website at <a href="https://www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a>.

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Direct correspondence to: Public Service Commission of South Carolina

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